

Appl. No. 10/627,029
Amdt dated March 8, 2006
Reply to Notice of Non-Compliant Amend dtd 2/23/2006

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Amendment document that was filed by Applicant on February 16, 2006 in response to the Office Action of December 7, 2005 was considered non-compliant because it failed to meet the requirements under CFR§1.121. Specifically, Applicants erroneously underlined the new paragraphs and subtitles and included markings in the title.

In response, Applicant is herewith re-submitting the entire "Amendments to the Specification" section of the Amendment document that was filed by Applicant on February 16, 2006.

This response to a notice of non-compliant amendment is in reply to a non-final office action and it is believed no fee is required in the filing of this reply. However, if Applicant is mistaken, please charge any required fees to Deposit account number 032316.

If there are any questions regarding this reply, or if prosecution can be expedited in any manner by a telephone conference, the Examiner is urged to call the undersigned at the below telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

3/08/2006

Dated

Edna M. O'Connor

Edna M. O'Connor
Reg. No. 29252
GAMBRO Patent Department
10810 W. Collins Ave.
Lakewood, CO 80215-4439
(303) 205-2560